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TO: State of Utah
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5/27/08

FROM: Corey Thurston
Western Clay Co.

SUBJECT: Form MR- Site /Bond Release for Redmond Limestone Quarry.
M-041-004

Dear Susan and Lynn,

We would like to request at this time a partial release of the entire mine site of our Redmond Limestone Quarry. All the backfilling and grading requirements have been completed. Lynn communicated to us that it would be best to reseed in the fall. We would like to request the prescribe seed mixture so we can get it ordered and scheduled for application. If you have any further requests or questions please contact me.

Sincerely



Corey Thurston
Mine Supervisor
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Task ID# 2440

Application for Site and/or Bond Release

Operator/Permittee: <u>Western Clay Company</u>	
Mine/Project Name: <u>Redmond Limestone Quarry</u>	
File Number: <u>M-041-004</u>	
Check One: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Large Mine <input type="checkbox"/> Small Mine <input type="checkbox"/> Exploration	
Check one: <input type="checkbox"/> Partial Release of a <u>portion</u> of the mine site: Acres to be released: _____ Acres Remaining: _____ Specify Area: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Full Release of a <u>portion</u> of the mine site: _____ Acres to be released: _____ Specify Area: _____ (A new map will need to be provided for the Notice or plan removing the released area from the disturbed or bonded area.) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Partial Release of entire mine site: _____ Total Acres to be released: <u>7.14</u> (Backfilling and grading are completed) <input type="checkbox"/> Full Release of entire mine site: _____ Total Acres to be released: _____ (Vegetation is established and has survived three growing seasons.)	
Amount of Existing Surety: <u>\$ 25,000</u>	
Amount of Surety requested for release: _____	
Reason for Bond Release Request: <u>Mineral Lease Expired</u>	
Complete this section if the money released from this application is to be used as surety for future disturbance. Release bond on: _____ Acres (specify area) _____ Apply Bond to: _____ Acres (specify area) _____	
Check Applicable Boxes	DESCRIPTION of RECLAMATION ACTIVITIES COMPLETED (Describe any variance(s) that have been granted, date activity completed)
<input type="checkbox"/> Wells Plugged / shafts sealed	
<input type="checkbox"/> Disposal of debris & other materials incident to mining	

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Drainages, reestablished & stable	Drainages are Graded Back to original
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Structures demolished / removed	All mining and Crushing equipment has been removed from site.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Regrading Completed – Slopes, pits, highwalls in stable condition	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Meets Postmining Land Use (Indicate Landuse)	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Roads Reclaimed	Road are Blocked and regraded
<input type="checkbox"/>	Dams, Impoundments, Ditches, Pits reclaimed	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Topsoil respread – amendments added	Topsoil has been respread where possible
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Erosion Controlled	Reseeding is scheduled for the Fall
<input type="checkbox"/>	Vegetation meets 70% of premining cover and has survived three years for full bond release – or has survived one year growing season to maintain small mine status.	

I hereby certify that I am a responsible official of the applicant and that the information contained in this application is true and correct to the best of my information and belief in all respects with the laws of Utah in reference to commitments and obligations, herein.

Corey Thurston
Print Name

Corey Thurston Mine Supervisor
Sign Name, Position

5-27-08
Date

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